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Sent: Monday, December 13, 2021 5:57 PM
To: Mayor
Subject: we met at League lunch on climate liability
Attachments: Intro to Center for Climate Integrity (1).pdf

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About CCI

The Center for Climate Integrity empowers communities and elected officials to hold polluters accountable for their role in causing and lying about the climate crisis. Through campaigns, communications, and strategic legal support, we work to ensure that the fossil fuel industry pays their fair share for the massive costs of climate change.

What is climate liability?

Climate liability reflects the legal principle that fossil fuel companies, like any other industry that knowingly caused harm to consumers and the public (i.e. big tobacco, opioids, lead, asbestos and more), should pay for the resulting damages. This means that the companies whose products led to climate change should help citizens with climate-related bills.

Internal documents show conclusively that big oil and gas companies knew burning fossil fuels [would lead to dangerous climate change as early as 1968](#). Instead of warning the public and taking action to curb the threat, they ran a massive, ongoing disinformation campaign that deliberately sowed doubt about scientific realities and downplayed risks. In October 2021, the [CEOs](#) of Exxon, Shell, BP America, Chevron, the American Petroleum Institute, and the Chamber of Commerce [testified](#) before Congress at a historic hearing on that disinformation. These executives are still arguing that their companies have no financial obligation — none — to pay for any of the damage caused by climate change or defenses needed to protect against it.

What counts as a climate cost?

From severe weather recovery to the everyday effects of sea level rise and warming temperatures, communities across the country are already paying billions to protect themselves and their homes, businesses, infrastructure, and livelihoods from climate impacts. While fossil fuel companies continue to profit from the climate crisis, taxpayers bear the burden of its costs and consequences alone. Until these companies pay their fair share, communities will be forced to cut existing public services, raise taxes, or retreat and abandon property as the bill continues to grow.

In partnership with researchers from the University of Colorado, Boulder and engineering firm Resilient Analytics, the Center for Climate Integrity has conducted two climate cost accounting studies of its own: one calculating the cost of [constructing seawalls](#) to protect communities from sea level rise by 2040, and the other estimating the cost to [upgrade and install air conditioning](#) in public schools across the country to account for additional extreme heat days by 2025.

What are some paths toward climate liability?

[Twenty six cities, counties and states and one trade industry](#) have already sued major fossil fuel companies for the costs associated with climate adaptation and resilience. The most direct path is for elected officials at the city, county or state level to consider taking fossil fuel companies to court to recover damages. But there are other ways to hold polluters accountable; for instance, local officials can begin by tracking climate costs at the city and county level in order to raise questions about who should pay, and can explore resolutions, policies and ballot initiatives that help shift the burden away from their constituents.

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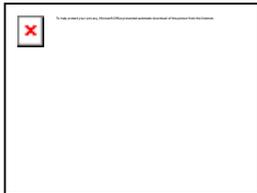
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Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87994046177?pwd=bTdWc0VIRy9Oa0tUYXhBYThxT29Ndz09>

Meeting ID: 879 9404 6177

Passcode: 564275

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Leaders for Climate Accountability

Our communities are at a crossroads. Cities and states across the country are seeing already-tight budgets further decimated by the COVID-19 pandemic. With climate change exacerbating long-overdue upgrades to infrastructure, the threat of supercharged wildfires and hurricanes, and public health disasters, local governments find themselves in a critical position. But this crisis was not a foregone conclusion. [Internal documents show that oil and gas companies knew over 50 years ago that their products would create dangerous climate change.](#) Instead of disclosing what they knew, oil and gas executives lied to the public about climate change in order to protect their profits.

Leaders for Climate Accountability is a national network of public officials who support holding corporate polluters accountable for their outsized role in creating and exacerbating the climate crisis. We are committed to making the fossil fuel industry pay their fair share of the enormous costs of protecting our communities from the damages caused by climate change; defending local democracy and access to the courts; and refusing to let our communities get stuck with the bill for a crisis the oil and gas industry knowingly caused.

Our leaders are committed to:

- Holding the fossil fuel industry accountable, because those who are most responsible for the climate crisis and its impacts should pay their fair share of its costs.
- Defending local democracy and access to the courts, because communities facing ongoing and imminent harm deserve the opportunity to seek justice.
- Putting constituents and their safety and security at the forefront of policy solutions, because taxpayers should not be stuck footing the entire bill for climate adaptation and resilience.

Leaders for Climate Accountability harnesses, supports, and elevates leadership on climate accountability. As a Leader for Climate Accountability, you and your office will have access to:

- Political and policy research specific to your locality, including polling, white papers, sample legislation, and specific cost studies
- Our national communications shop, including a press team on hand to help with writing and pitching op-eds, statements, speeches, and television spots
- A messaging/social media toolkit tailored to your district
- A network of local and national organizations to build support for your climate accountability platform and champion its successes
- Opportunities to network with and learn from national cross-sector leaders

Interested in learning more? Reach out to Iyla Shornstein at iyla@climateintegrity.org

About the Center for Climate Integrity

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Hi Mayor Conley,

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If you have already filled it out and had technical issues, I can give you a quick call and fill out the form with you on the phone. Please let me know what would be easiest for you!

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Cc: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Subject: Re: FOLLOW UP - Center for Climate Integrity

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To: David Zeballos;Lauren OBrien
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I will try again.

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From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, February 11, 2022 10:24 AM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: permission to use images of climate damages?

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Good morning and happy Friday, Leaders!

We at The Center for Climate Integrity are composing an article for the April issue of the NJ League of Municipalities Magazine, due Tuesday. It will broadcast the Leaders for Climate Accountability network.

Do any of you have access to any images of climate change-related damages or projects being built in your area? We are encouraged to include images. If so, can you send me either a link or jpg and written permission to use?

Thanks so much and have a good weekend,

Lauren

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Support

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, March 2, 2022 9:58 AM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: I'm sharing Earth Day events with our coalition
Attachments: NJ Climate Liability Coalition members.docx

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Dear NJ Leaders for Climate Accountability,

Earth Day events will start to pop up soon! Reminder that 85 nonprofit organizations signed onto our coalition to urge Governor Murphy to hold the fossil fuel industry accountable for climate change damages.

I meet with various leaders from that coalition every other month on different topics related to climate liability. This week, we are using this [survey to share awareness of any upcoming Earth Day events](#) happening in person or virtually throughout the state. Please feel free to share anything your municipality or county is doing! Likewise, if you are looking for nonprofit "vendor" / educator for your own event, I am happy to connect you with a leader.

Attaching the current list of those in our coalition.

Have a great day and I hope to see you soon!

Lauren

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August 2021

1. 350NJ.org
2. Action Together New Jersey
3. Already Devalued and Devastated Homeowners of Parsippany
4. American Littoral Society
5. ANJEC (Association of New Jersey Environmental Commissions)
6. Atlantic Climate Justice Alliance
7. Bergen SWAN
8. BlueWaveNJ
9. Cape May County Indivisible
10. Center for Climate Integrity
11. Central Jersey Environmental Defenders
12. Chatham Moms for Change
13. Clean Ocean Action
14. Clean Water Action
15. Climate Mama
16. Coalition Against Pilgrim Pipeline NJ
17. Coalition for Peace Action
18. Coalition to Ban Unsafe Oil Trains
19. Coalition to Save South Mountain Reservation
20. Delaware River Keeper Network
21. Don't Gas the Meadowlands
22. Eco-Poetry.org
23. Environment New Jersey
24. Essex County Environmental Commission
25. Food & Water Watch - New Jersey
26. GreenFaith Circle
27. Green Party of Monmouth County NJ
28. Green Party of New Jersey
29. Indivisible Bayshore
30. Indivisible NJ 3rd District
31. Indivisible NJ 5th District
32. Indivisible Central NJ
33. Indivisible Cranbury
34. Indivisible Rahway (NJ District 10)

35. JOLT Ridgewood
36. Lower Raritan Watershed Partnership
37. Madison Area Call To Action (MACTA)
38. Middletown for Clean Energy
39. Montclair Climate Action
40. Montclair Environmental Commission
41. National Organization of Women (NOW) - Northern New Jersey
42. National Organization of Women (NOW) - Ocean County
43. New Jersey Citizen Action
44. New Jersey Climate Save Movement
45. New Jersey Highlands Coalition
46. New Jersey Industrial State Union Council
47. New Jersey Peace Action
48. New Jersey Policy Perspective
49. New Jersey Student Sustainability Coalition
50. New Jersey Sustainable Business Council
51. New Jersey Tenants Organization
52. New Jersey Work Environment Council
53. New Jersey Working Families
54. NJ 11th for Change
55. NJ Skylands - Sunrise Movement
56. Occupy Bergen County
57. Operation Grow, Inc.
58. Our Revolution Bergen County
59. Our Revolution Essex County
60. Our Revolution Mercer County / Trenton
61. Our Revolution Monmouth County
62. Our Revolution Ocean County
63. Pinelands Preservation Alliance
64. People Over Pipelines
65. PDA-NJ (Progressive Democrats of America)
66. Raritan Headwaters Association
67. SoMa Action
68. South Jersey Progressive Democrats
69. Summit Area Indivisible
70. Sunrise Movement, Hunterdon County
71. Surfrider Foundation South Jersey
72. Surfrider Foundation Jersey Shore
73. Sierra Club – Central Jersey
74. Sierra Club - New Jersey Chapter

75. Sierra Club – Northern New Jersey
76. The Climate Reality Project: Greater NJ Gateway Chapter
77. Union of Concerned Scientists
78. United Universalists Church of Monmouth County
79. Upper Township Democratic Club
80. UU Faith Action (Unitarian Universalist)
81. UUFSC (Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Sussex County)
82. Waterspirit
83. Westfield 20/20
84. We The People NJ-07
85. Young Ecosocialists Caucus

Support

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnpjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 3, 2022 5:28 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: INVITE for Mar 10th, and recordings of virtual learning series

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week. Please click on the the link below to register:

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Subject: RE: interested in Ironbound or Elizabeth meet & greet?

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To: Mayor
Subject: Re: interested in Ironbound or Elizabeth meet & greet?

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Hi! Sun Apr 10th, 4-530 in Elizabeth is the plan for Leaders for Climate Accountability in-person drinks and app's event. Save the date info is coming. We are going to conduct a brief intake via survey soon to make sure it is discussion-based on most pressing climate cost issues to everyone's location.

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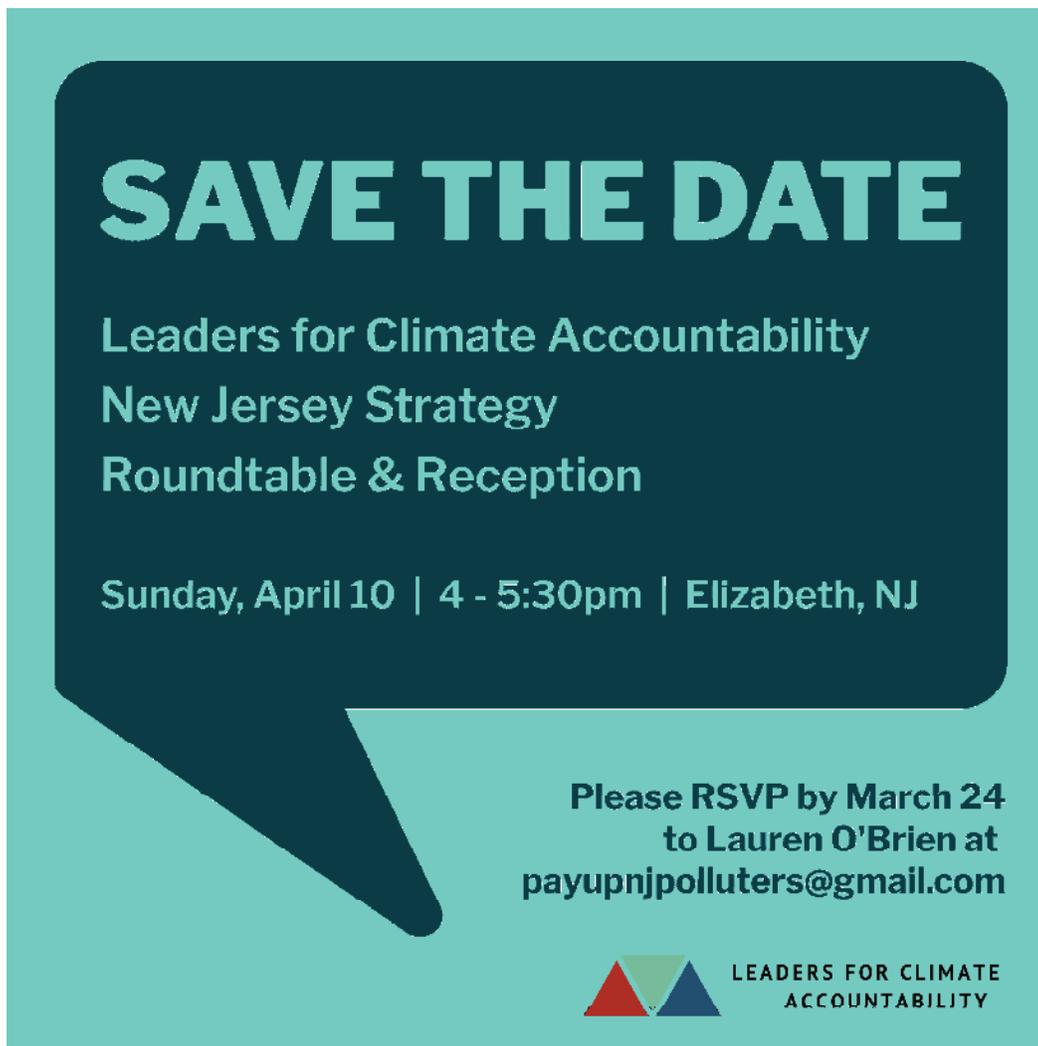
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Subject: Reception & Roundtable: Apr 10th NJ Leaders for Climate Accountabiity

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Dear NJ Leaders for Climate Accountability,

We are excited to offer our first **in-person Roundtable & Reception** exclusively for you!



SAVE THE DATE

**Leaders for Climate Accountability
New Jersey Strategy
Roundtable & Reception**

Sunday, April 10 | 4 - 5:30pm | Elizabeth, NJ

**Please RSVP by March 24
to Lauren O'Brien at
payupnjpolluters@gmail.com**

 **LEADERS FOR CLIMATE
ACCOUNTABILITY**

We look forward to getting to know one another better over drinks & appetizers, while also engaging in strategy-forward discussions.

Pre-meeting survey and calendar invite will follow soon.

Have a good weekend!

Lauren and lyla

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To: Mayor
Subject: Resolution?

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Hello Mayor Conley,

Did I ever ask if you are interested in passing a resolution to support a state lawsuit against Big Oil for climate cost recovery?

There are many on our NJ website but you can also request for me to help you out with a draft.

<https://payupclimatepolluters.org/campaigns/new-jersey/>

Have a good sunny day!

Lauren

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From: Conley, Robert
Sent: Friday, March 25, 2022 10:21 AM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: RE: RSVP for Apr 10th and questions for you

Lauren,

Confirming that this is a change of location from the original invite.

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Dear Mayor,

As a member of our NJ Leaders for Climate Accountability, **can you [RSVP and answer these questions](#) on our brief planning survey by end of **Monday, March 28th?****

The reception and roundtable on **APRIL 10TH** will be hosted in **Cranford**. It is exclusively for enrolled members of the network, by invitation only.

YOU'RE INVITED

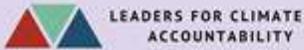
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Sunday, April 10 | 4 - 5:30pm

Garlic Rose, 28 North Ave W, Cranford, NJ 07016

Drinks and light
refreshments served.

Register by April 4, at
<https://bit.ly/NJ410>



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Thank you,

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From: Conley, Robert
Sent: Thursday, April 7, 2022 6:15 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: Re: Sunday 4pm Garlic Rose reminder

Lauren,

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We are delighted to host a large group of New Jersey Leaders for Climate Accountability this weekend:

Sunday, April 10th
4:00-5:30pm
Garlic Rose (bottom floor)
28 North Ave, Cranford

Thank you for your survey responses and other feedback. We look forward to a lot of meaningful discussion.

A reminder that this event is for invited Leaders for Climate Accountability only. We are unable to invite others outside the network for this event, but happy to make future arrangements with colleagues such as Environmental Commissioners and others.

We will see you soon!

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Support

From: Conley, Robert
Sent: Monday, April 11, 2022 10:20 AM
To: Lauren OBrien
Cc: Gabi Porter;lyla Shornstein
Subject: RE: THANK YOU!

You are very welcome and my wife enjoyed the Garlic Rose sampling!

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Cc: Gabi Porter <gabi@climateintegrity.org>; lyla Shornstein <iyla@climateintegrity.org>
Subject: THANK YOU!

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Happy Monday :)

Thanks again for your attendance last night at the Garlic Rose.

Gabi, lyla and I appreciate your precious time, attention and feedback.

Will follow up soon.

Lauren

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Lauren O'Brien
NJ Campaign Director
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Support

From: Iyla Shornstein <iyla@climateintegrity.org>
Sent: Tuesday, April 19, 2022 1:29 PM
Cc: Lauren OBrien;Gabi Porter;David Zeballos
Subject: NJ Earth Day printouts and social graphics on climate accountability
Attachments: L4CA NJ Earth Day PDF.pdf; NJ_EarthDay_square_1.png; NJ_EarthDay_square2.png

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Hello New Jersey Leaders!

Thank you again to all who were able to attend our April 10th meetup in Cranford. At the event, several of you requested printable handouts and social media graphics for Earth Day.

Our team put together the attached PDF one-pager that can be printed in color or in b&w. It has a QR that people can scan for more info. We would really appreciate it if you were able to bring these along to your Earth Day events so we can get the word out about the movement for climate accountability in NJ.

Our digital team also created a few social media graphics, which can be used across all platforms (instagram, twitter, facebook). The graphics are attached as PNG files and can be paired with the following social copy (or feel free to create your own!):

- Hey New Jersey: As you celebrate #EarthDay, remember — Big Oil knew they were causing climate change, and are trying to stick you with the bill. But we won't fall for it. #MakePollutersPay
- In New Jersey, we can ensure a safe and healthy future for all of us by calling out oil and gas companies' lies and holding them accountable for the damage they've done. #EarthDay #MakePollutersPay
- Happy #EarthDay, New Jersey! 🌍 It's time to hold Big Oil accountable. #MakePollutersPay

Please don't hesitate to reach out with questions or if there are additional materials we can provide for you!

Best,

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Iyla Shornstein ([pronounce](#)) | she/her
State and Local Campaigns Manager
[Center for Climate Integrity](#)
845-706-3159

It's time to make **climate polluters pay.**

We've been lied to. For decades, a handful of greedy oil and gas companies have lied — and keep lying — to all of us about the harms caused by their fossil fuel products, while the cost to protect our community from climate impacts skyrockets.

Enough is enough. Just like we held the tobacco and opioid industries accountable for hurting our families, we can ensure a safe and healthy community for all of us by calling out oil and gas companies' lies and holding them accountable for the harm they've caused.



Learn more and sign up to receive updates by scanning this code.



Celebrating New Jersey Earth Day 2022

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Support

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, April 21, 2022 6:13 PM
To: Mayor
Subject: LCV at NJ Conf of Mayors?

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Hi Mayor!

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Thanks,

Lauren

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NJ Campaign Director
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Support

From: Conley, Robert
Sent: Friday, April 22, 2022 2:54 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: RE: LCV at NJ Conf of Mayors?

Good question, I am checking and will let you know.

Bob

From: Lauren OBrien [mailto:payupnjpolluters@gmail.com]
Sent: Thursday, April 21, 2022 6:13 PM
To: Mayor <mayor@adm.rosenet.org>
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From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, April 22, 2022 3:09 PM
To: Conley, Robert
Subject: Re: LCV at NJ Conf of Mayors?

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Thanks!

On Fri, Apr 22, 2022 at 2:54 PM Conley, Robert <conleyr@rosenet.org> wrote:

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Support

From: Conley, Robert
Sent: Tuesday, April 26, 2022 11:40 AM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: RE: introduction before May 4th conference?

Lauren,

I don't have any direct connection with these Commissioners but still would be happy to do an email if you don't have better contacts. Send me a short blurb and I will email with cc's to you.

Robert H Conley
Mayor - Borough of Madison
Current Term 1/1/2020-12/31/2023
Initial Terms 1/1/2011-12/31/2019
Past Council Member
7/6/2005-12/31/2011
Office: 973-593-3038
Cell: 862-204-7656
conleyr@rosenet.org
Madison - NJ Monthly #1 Place to Live

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 26, 2022 9:59 AM
To: Mayor <mayor@adm.rosenet.org>
Subject: introduction before May 4th conference?

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Hello Mayor,

I am attending the NJ Association of Counties conference meet & greet on the evening of May 4th in Atlantic City. As a New Jersey Leader for Climate Accountability, can you help me with an email introduction before May 4th to any of these Commissioners?

- Bergen - Stephen Tanelli, Mary Amoroso
- Burlington - Tom Pullion and Felicia Hopson
- Camden - Jeffrey Nash
- Cape May - Gerald Thornton
- Middlesex - Shanti Narra
- Passaic - TJ Best, Sandi Lazzara
- Somerset - Paul Drake

If there are any additional county contacts who you think I should meet, please let me know that too!

Thanks so much,

Lauren

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Support

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 3:18 PM
To: Colleen Mahr;Mayor;Jason Cilento
Subject: from me and Mayor Cilento: Conf of Mayors panel questions

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Hello Mayors!

Mayor Cilento and I were hoping we can expect you to attend the [May 11th climate resilience panel](#) that he is moderating at the NJ Conf of Mayors next week. If you are, can you let us know if you are willing to ask these questions we want planted regarding climate accountability?

Question 1 to follow Nick Angarone's bit on the municipal mandate to identify climate vulnerabilities:

We know that taxpayers and municipalities have been paying for the enormous costs of climate change in New Jersey, even though fossil fuel production has been a main cause of this crisis around the world for decades. In my municipality for example, it is costing X to deal with Y. Does anyone else in the room want to share an example of a municipal climate project or damage cost? Nick, what expectations does our state administration have of municipal leaders for climate cost assessment? Will there be any relief to taxpayers in the near future?

Question 2 to follow Charles Jenkins on funding resilient water infrastructure:

Mr. Jenkins, it seems the "resilient water infrastructure" work you discussed to address climate impacts should be viewed in a similar light to groundwater/river clean up due to MTBE, PFAS, etc contamination. In that regard, would you agree that municipalities should seek accountability from the polluting companies who created the need for climate-related clean up/adaptation, much like they do in the contamination (MTBE, PFAS) cases?

Also, Mayor Conley - do we know if LCV will have a role at that conference?

Thanks so much,

Lauren

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Support

From: Conley, Robert
Sent: Monday, May 9, 2022 12:12 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: RE: Timely request: for your NJ mayors and neighbors!

Lauren,

Sorry that I will miss you at the conference. I am stuck in Florida as I await my PCR results.

Bob

From: Lauren OBrien [mailto:payupnjpolluters@gmail.com]
Sent: Friday, May 6, 2022 1:37 PM
To: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Subject: Timely request: for your NJ mayors and neighbors!

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Dear New Jersey Leaders for Climate Accountability,

Next week, **Lauren will be attending the NJ Conference of Mayors (May 10-12th)** in Atlantic City. **We are hoping that you might share information about our climate accountability exhibit with your mayoral colleagues** and recommend they stop by and speak with Lauren. Some suggested language and details are below for you to copy and paste for an email to your colleagues (please note that only mayors can attend):

I am reaching out as a member of the New Jersey [Leaders for Climate Accountability](#) network. We are a dedicated group of public officials who support holding oil and gas companies accountable for their contributions to the climate crisis. Next week, Lauren O'Brien, Director of the [Pay Up Climate Polluters NJ campaign](#) **will be exhibiting at the NJ Conference of Mayors from May 10-12th** at the Hard Rock Hotel in Atlantic City. As a member of this network, **I urge you to stop by** and speak with her to learn more about the campaign for climate accountability here in New Jersey. Lauren can show you documented evidence of the fossil fuel industry's knowledge and deception, provide you with information on the Leaders for Climate Accountability network, as well as the status of legal cases filed across the country by cities and states trying to recover the cost of climate damages. She can also bring you up to speed on the different action NJ elected officials and other climate accountability advocates have taken in support of climate liability litigation.

Lauren can also be reached at 908-347-2671 or at payupnjpolluters@gmail.com

Thanks so much for helping us spread the word to key decision-makers in NJ!

Best,
Iyla

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Lauren O'Brien
NJ Campaign Director

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Support

From: Conley, Robert
Sent: Thursday, May 26, 2022 10:25 AM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: RE: June 28-30 or Jul 6-7: your availability?

Lauren,

I just responded. I am on vacation that week (and the next 2 after)

Robert H Conley
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From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 25, 2022 1:41 PM
To: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Subject: June 28-30 or Jul 6-7: your availability?

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Hi!

You should have received an email from Doodle to let me know what hours of the evening you are available from 5 possible dates. This is to plan a virtual, public-facing Leaders for Climate Accountability before our hurricane season. More details coming, but please help us fill this out for a few minutes asap.

<https://doodle.com/meeting/participate/id/b2kjA2Wd>

Thanks,

Lauren

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Support

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 9, 2022 1:40 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: [BULK] pls share -June 30th virtual panel on NJ Hurricane Season: Impacts, Costs and Cost Recovery
Attachments: NJ-PUCP-HurricanePanel-02.pdf; NJ-PUCP-HurricanePanel-01.pdf

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Dear New Jersey Leaders for Climate Accountability,

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REGISTRATION LINK: <https://bit.ly/3tFIWFx>

SUGGESTED INVITEES:

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- ANJEC and Environmental Commissioners
- Sustainable Jersey hubs or leaders
- Constituents
- Non-profit leaders

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Associate, NJ Climate Change
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The session will also be recorded, so you can also register to receive that link.

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Thank you for your support!

Lauren

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Lauren O'Brien

NJ Campaign Director

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Support

From: Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Thursday, June 9, 2022 1:31 PM
To: Mayor
Subject: SAVE JUNE 30TH @5pm for 2022 NJ Hurricane Season virtual panel

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ed officials and the Center for Climate Integrity to address our upcoming hurricane season.



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From: Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Tuesday, June 14, 2022 1:26 PM
To: Mayor
Subject: REGISTER for our NJ 2022 Hurricane costs panel: June 30th, 5pm

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of Environmental Sciences - Rutgers University



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From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 15, 2022 12:14 PM
To: Conley, Robert
Subject: Re: pls share -June 30th virtual panel on NJ Hurricane Season: Impacts, Costs and Cost Recovery

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Hello Mayor,

May I ask you to send word of this June 30th panel to:

- any fellow Mayors?
- Morris County Commissioners
- LCV
- any environmental commissioners?

How have you been?! Been a while.

Take care,

Lauren

On Thu, Jun 9, 2022 at 1:40 PM Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com> wrote:

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Support

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, June 15, 2022 7:24 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: social media prompts for you to share June 30th panel

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NJ Hurricane Panel - Social Sharelines

Join me and Leaders for Climate Accountability for a virtual panel on the enormous climate costs facing NJ and how [municipality name here] can recover damages through litigation. RSVP
<https://actionnetwork.org/events/nj-l4ca-virtual-panel>

Join me on June 30 for a discussion on the anticipated impacts and costs [municipality name here] could face from #HurricaneSeason2022 and how our community can #MakePollutersPay.
<https://actionnetwork.org/events/nj-l4ca-virtual-panel>

Our residents will bear the brunt of hurricane costs while the companies fueling the climate crisis pay zero. Join me to discuss how we can #MakePollutersPay
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Support

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 20, 2022 4:11 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: Twitter Tues! Pls tweet about the Jun 30 panel

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Hi Leaders!

Can you copy and paste one of these TODAY into Twitter and fill in the blank/municipality? Feel free to edit of course. Only 10 days away!

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From: Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Tuesday, June 21, 2022 8:21 AM
To: Mayor
Subject: busy NJ 2022 Hurricane season = what projects & costs? Tune in June 30th

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Season. Find out what this means for New Jersey and your taxpaying pocket on June 30th, or sign up for the recording. Just **CLICK** T

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From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 27, 2022 11:57 AM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: SHARE THE THURS PANEL reminder
Attachments: NJHurricanePanel2.pdf; NJHurricanePanel-social.png

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Dear NJ Leaders for Climate Accountability,

We have 53 registered for our Thurs panel, and aim to double that by show time. Can you forward the email below to your colleagues asap if you have not already done so? Also reattaching social media content. Help us reach out to new leaders facing hurricane season!

Thank you,

Lauren

----- Forwarded message -----

EMAIL TEMPLATE:

Dear

I encourage you to attend this [virtual panel](#) with Rutgers University and NJ local elected officials that explores 2022 hurricane impacts, costs, and litigation as a tool for cost recovery on THURS, JUNE 30TH, 5pm.

Co-hosted by Environment New Jersey and Leaders for Climate Accountability, a national network of elected officials who believe that the fossil fuel industry needs to be held accountable for the climate damage they have knowingly caused to our communities. As a New Jersey member, I advocate to make sure my constituents are not stuck footing the multi-billion bill for climate change recovery, adaptation, and resilience costs while polluters pay nothing.

NOAA recently reported expected trends for the 2022 Atlantic hurricane season, and we are preparing ourselves for these impacts here at home. This session will explore New Jersey details on how municipalities respond to these impacts. **Registration required:** <https://bit.ly/3tFIWFx>

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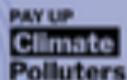
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PAY UP
**Climate
Polluters**



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SOCIAL MEDIA:

1. Graphic attached
2. Sharelines

Join me and Leaders for Climate Accountability for a virtual panel on the enormous climate costs facing NJ and how [municipality name here] can recover damages through litigation. RSVP <https://bit.ly/3tFIWFx>

Join me on June 30 for a discussion on the anticipated impacts and costs [municipality name here] could face from #HurricaneSeason2022 and how our community can #MakePollutersPay. RSVP <https://bit.ly/3tFIWFx>

Our residents will bear the brunt of hurricane costs while the companies fueling the climate crisis pay zero. Join me to discuss how we can #MakePollutersPay
RSVP <https://bit.ly/3tFIWFx>

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Lauren O'Brien

NJ Campaign Director

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Support

From: Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2022 8:31 AM
To: Mayor
Subject: Register for Thursday virtual panel or recording on 2022 Hurricanes

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iversity and local elected officials from Hudson down to Atlantic Counties learning from the past and looking ahead to this

of Environmental Sciences - Rutgers University



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From: Lauren O'Brien via ActionNetwork.org <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2022 10:02 AM
To: Mayor
Subject: Thanks for RSVPing!

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Robert,

Thanks for RSVPing to attend the event. Here are the details to add to your calendar:

New Jersey Hurricane Season: A Virtual Panel on Impacts, Costs, and Cost Recovery

Start: Thursday, June 30, 2022 5:00 PM Eastern Daylight Time (US & Canada) (GMT-04:00)

End: Thursday, June 30, 2022 6:00 PM Eastern Daylight Time (US & Canada) (GMT-04:00)

This is a virtual event

Host Contact Info: payupnjpolluters@gmail.com

[Click here to view the event details.](#)

Add this event to your calendar: [Apple](#) [Google](#) [Outlook](#) [Outlook Web](#) [Yahoo](#)

Now, can you spread the word and invite your friends to come?

[Click here to share this event on Facebook.](#)

[Click here to share this event on Twitter.](#)

Or you can send your friends this link: https://actionnetwork.org/events/nj-l4ca-virtual-panel?source=direct_link&

Or copy and paste the email below.

Thanks!

Lauren O'Brien

Copy and paste this email to friends to spread the word:

Subject: Can you come?

Body:

Friend,

I'm attending an event called New Jersey Hurricane Season: A Virtual Panel on Impacts, Costs, and Cost Recovery.

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Registration required per individual attending. Zoom information will follow by email closer to the event
Event description: The 2022 Atlantic hurricane season is expected to be more active than usual - and climate change is exacerbating storm impacts. Learn from Rutgers University about projected impacts of sea-level rise, rainfall, and hurricane activity in New Jersey. Hear from your local elected officials about the enormous costs for climate recovery and resilience projects that you pay for as a taxpayer. Explore how communities across the country are taking fossil fuel companies to court to hold them accountable for their fair share of those costs, and how to lend support for litigation in New Jersey. Moderator: Committeewoman Nancy Adams, Township of Maplewood
Panelists: James Shope, PhD, Research Associate, NJ Climate Change Resource Center, Department of Environmental Sciences - Rutgers University
Councilman Brandon Bernier, Borough of Roselle
Councilor Debbie Mans, Borough of Glen Ridge
Councilman James Solomon, Jersey City Ward E
Councilman and Vice President Kaleem Shabazz, Atlantic City
Corey Riday-White, Senior Staff Attorney, Center for Climate Integrity

Can you join me? Click here for details and to RSVP: <https://actionnetwork.org/events/nj-l4ca-virtual-panel?source=email&>

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From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 30, 2022 10:48 AM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: 5pm Zoom link for "NJ Hurricane Season" virtual panel

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Hello!

We are delighted to co-host a **virtual panel tonight at 5pm** with Environment New Jersey that you registered for titled ***New Jersey Hurricane Season: Impacts, Costs and Cost Recovery.***

Here is your zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89880855800?pwd=rGqeeD8GQHON5GCSWKN1pko-87-Wgx.1>

Passcode: 440983

There is still time to invite others to register to either attend or receive the recording link. [Information to copy, paste and share is below this email.](#)

Thank you and see you soon,

Lauren

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EMAIL TO SHARE:

Dear

I am attending this virtual event at 5pm TONIGHT and encourage you to [REGISTER HERE to join us or receive the recording.](#)

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- Councilman and Vice President Kaleem Shabazz, Atlantic City
- Corey Riday-White, Senior Staff Attorney, Center for Climate Integrity

Thanks for your attention and enjoy your holiday weekend!

SOCIAL MEDIA POST

TONIGHT at 5pm, tune into this virtual event sponsored by Environment NJ and the Center for Climate Integrity. Register here to join or receive the recording.

<https://bit.ly/3tFIWFx>

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From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, July 7, 2022 3:19 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: Jun 30 NJ Hurricane panel follow-up and recording
Attachments: NJHurricanePanel2.pdf

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Hello!

You registered for the June 30th virtual panel called, ***New Jersey Hurricane Season: Impacts, Costs and Cost Recovery***, co-hosted by the Center for Climate Integrity and Environment New Jersey.

This is a [1-minute clip of highlighted quotes](#) by Leaders for Climate Accountability that we encourage you to share on social media, and this is a YouTube link to the [full one-hour recording](#).

Attached is the PDF flyer that summarizes the event for you.

Feel free to reach out if you want any additional information.

Have a great day.

Lauren

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Attorney, Center for Climate Integrity

Support

From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, July 13, 2022 4:53 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: are you attending the Sept NJEDA conference?

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Hi Leaders,

Do you or other members of your local government plan to attend the [Gov' Conference on Housing and Economic Development](#)? Was told I should be an Exhibitor for Pay Up Climate Polluters / Leaders for Climate Accountability. Any feedback welcome before end of this month (when registration is due)

Thanks,

Lauren

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From: Lauren OBrien <payupnjpolluters@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, August 1, 2022 2:27 PM
To: Lauren OBrien
Subject: Save Tues, Sep 13th @5pm!

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Hi all,

I'm going on vacay next week and more info will come from the Comm's Department regarding this event but **please reserve TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH from 5-6pm** for a virtual messaging training with CCI staff especially designed especially for YOU, our NJ Leaders for Climate Accountability members.

We will be following up on the June 30th panel, acknowledging NJ hurricane season around the 1st anniversary of Ida, and discussing ways to message on climate polluter accountability in your community.

Will send you a calendar invite now and more information very soon.

Have a great day,

Lauren

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